

USAMMA Readiness Conference April 2006

The USAMMA Readiness Conference, 26-27 April 2006, was a decisive success. On behalf of the USAMMA Commander, the officers and civilian employees of USAMMA would like to thank all the conference participants. The informative and lively discussion was a valuable experience for the USAMMA staff -- we hope all participants found the meeting constructive. More importantly, we hope the conference improves the logistics support provided to the deploying units.

Any questions concerning the USAMMA Readiness Conference can be addressed to the USAMMA EOC at usammaeoc@amedd.army.mil or (301) 619-4408.

The presentations and administrative notes from the USAMMA Readiness Conference 2006 have been posted to the U.S. Army Knowledge On-Line (AKO) site. The folder "USAMMA Conference April 2006" was posted under the Medical Logistics folder. The documents can be found by following the path; AKO Home > Files > U.S. Army Organizations > MEDCOM > Medical Logistics > USAMMA > USAMMA Conference April 2006.

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USAMMA Readiness Conference 2006 Theme:

RELEVANT, VIGILANT, PERSISTENT:

MEDLOG IN THE LONG WAR POSTURE

The purpose of the 2006 USAMMA Conference is to share information and discussions that will benefit the medical logistician participants. The result will be improved coordination and support to deploying units. The theme states three qualities that will serve as guideposts for our discussions:

1. As medical technology advances, medical logistics has never been more relevant, or more meaningful, to the warfighter.
2. Because we face an elusive enemy, vigilance is critical as we prepare for future deployments in the Global War on Terrorism (GWOT).
3. Today, much of our success is due to the persistence of the logisticians, despite constrained resources.

The term "Long War Posture" refers to the requirements of the OIF/OEF 06-08 rotation; additionally, it incorporates the need for new initiatives, such as Army Transformation and Army Force Generation (ARFORGEN), which

will establish readiness for Homeland Defense and future GWOT missions. The theme *Relevant, Vigilant, Persistent: MEDLOG in the Long War Posture*, recognizes that previously established policies and procedures have been pushed to the limits; therefore, this 2006 Conference focuses on Army priorities, hard decisions, and the most effective use of our currently available resources.

Conference Topics:

Wednesday, 26 April 2006

USAMMA Welcome / Overview
PPBE (Planning, Programming, Budgeting and Execution)
Current Operations Overview
USAMMA Support to Deploying Units (Support Matrix)
Materiel Fielding Overview
LAP (Logistics Assistance Program)
New Technology Insertions Since 2003
AMSP (AMEDD Maintenance & Sustainment Program)
Deployment Training (Medical Maintenance and Technology Training)
MCBRNDM (Medical Chemical Biological Radiological Nuclear Defense Materiel)
APS (Army Prepositioned Stock)
UDP (Unit Deployment Package)
RCHD (Reserve Component Hospital Decrement)
Questions and Daily Recap

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Medical Assemblage Review Process
TMDE (Test Measurement and Diagnostic Equipment)
TEWLS (Theater Enterprise-Wide Logistics System)
ARFORGEN Equipment Solutions Discussion

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